

In the Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) An apparatus/~~a medical utensil~~ (1) for adjustment of the length of an infusion tubing (2), the apparatus comprising:

a housing (3) ~~with~~ comprising:

~~an axle/cylinder~~ a cylinder part (4) ~~arranged about~~ comprising a centre axis, ~~said housing (3) further comprising at least one turnable unit (6) and~~

a first axle (9), ~~the~~ a arranged about the centre axis of the cylinder part ~~which the first axle coincides with the centre axis of the axle part (4), and~~

at least one turnable unit turnable about ~~which the first axle, (9) the~~ turnable unit (6) turns, characterised in that the turnable unit (6) comprises the at least one turnable unit comprising a turnable first plate—partition plate 10—which is turnable about the first axle (9) and a wheel/cylinder part (11) turnable independently to the partition plate and about the same first axle (9); and in that, at its periphery, the partition plate (10) comprises a circular plate/wheel—comprising a return wheel (12)—around the periphery of which lengths of the tubing abut, the return wheel being arranged at a periphery of the partition plate such that the return wheel rotates with the partition plate about the first axle,

wherein the return wheel is configured to receive a portion of the length of tubing around a periphery of the return wheel.

2. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 1, characterised in that, wherein ~~said axle/cylinder~~ cylinder part (4) and wheel/cylinder part (11) are rotatable relative to each other.

3. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 1 wherein the axle cylinder part (4) is a stationary axle.

4. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 1 wherein the axle cylinder part (4) is a turnable axle.

5. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the return wheel (12) is turnable about an axle mounted on the partition plate.

6. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the apparatus comprises a spring, said spring being connected to the partition plate (10) and to a part which is stationary within the housing (3), preferably the walls of the housing (3).

7. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the a diameter of the ~~axle/the cylinder~~ cylinder part (4) and a diameter of the turnable cylinder wheel part (11) are essentially identical.

8. (Currently Amended) A method for adjustment of the length of an infusion tubing (2) ~~by means of using an apparatus comprising a housing (3) with an axle/the cylinder~~ a cylinder part (4) ~~arranged about~~ comprising a centre axis, ~~said housing (3) further comprising at least one turnable unit (6) and a first axle (9), the a arranged about the centre axis of the cylinder part which the first axle coincides with the centre axis of the axle cylinder part (4), and at least one turnable unit turnable about which the first axle (9) the turnable unit (6) turns, said turnable unit (6) comprising a turnable first plate -partition plate 10 -which is turnable about the first axle (9) and a wheel/cylinder part (11) turnable independently to the partition plate about the same first axle (9), the partition plate comprising a return wheel positioned at a periphery of the partition plate so that the return wheel rotates with the partition plate about the first axle, the method comprising:~~

~~characterised in that~~ winding a first length of tubing ~~is wound around the axle cylinder part (4);~~

~~that~~ winding a second length of tubing (18) ~~is wound around the wheel/cylinder part (11);~~

~~that~~ positioning a first free end part (7) and a second free end part (8) ~~are positioned of the tubing~~ exteriorly of the housing,

~~and that said turnable first plate (10) comprises a circular plate/wheel (12) at its periphery where said second end part is conveyed~~ winding the first length of the tubing around said return wheel (12) associated with the turnable unit and the turnable wheel/cylinder part (14); and

pulling the first end part, the second end part or both to adjust the length of the tubing extending exteriorly to the housing.

9. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 8; ~~characterised in that comprising transferring the tubing situated around the axle cylinder part (4) is transferred to the turnable unit (6) and conversely during adjustment/unwinding of the length of the tubing.~~

10. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 8, ~~wherein comprising~~ winding the first length of the tubing is wound about the axle cylinder part in a first direction and wound winding the second length of the tubing around parts of the turnable unit in a second direction opposite the first direction.

11. Cancelled.

12. Cancelled.

13. (Currently Amended) An apparatus for adjustment of the length of infusion tubing, said apparatus comprising:

a housing comprising:

an axle cylinder part ~~arranged about~~ comprising a centre axis;

a first axle, ~~a arranged about the centre axis of the cylinder part~~ first axle ~~coincides with the centre axis of the axle part; and~~

at least one turnable unit turnable about the first axle, the turnable unit comprises a partition plate turnable about the first axle and a wheel part turnable independently to the partition plate about the same first axle, the partition plate comprising a recess arranged at a periphery of the partition plate, the recess rotatable with the partition plate about the first axle; and

a length of infusion tubing having a first portion and a second portion, the first portion of the tubing is wound around the axle part and the second portion of the tubing is wound around the wheel part, a portion of the tubing passes from the axle cylinder part through the recess in the partition plate to the wheel part.

14. (Previously Presented) An apparatus according to claim 13, wherein the first portion of the tubing is wound in an opposite direction to the second portion of the tubing.

15. (Previously Presented) An apparatus according to claim 6, wherein the spring is connected to the partition plate and to a wall of the housing.